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PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

DUNLAP & CODDING, P.C.  
Attorney Docket No. 8403.519

First Inventor Donald E. Weder

Title DECORATIVE GRASS HAVING A THREE-DIMENSIONAL PATTERN AND METHODS FOR PRODUCING SAME

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3.  Specification [Total Pages 57]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description -Redline Specification 0 pgs
  - Claim(s) -Clean Specification 0 pgs
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [ Total Sheets 9 ]
5. Oath or Declaration [ Total Pages ]  
 a.  Newly executed (original or copy)  
 b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
     (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
  - i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
  - a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii.  paper
  - c.  Statements verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of (when there is an assignee)  Attorney
11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
12.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS Citations
13.  Preliminary Amendment
14.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16.  Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
17.  Other: Redline Drawings (9 sheets), Formal Drawings (9 sheets), Fee Determination Rec (1 pg.) Assoc. POA (1 pg)

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP)  
 Prior application information. Examiner W. Boss of prior application No 09/753,789  
 Group Art Unit 1775

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# **FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001**

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<b>Complete if Known</b>	
Application Number	Not Yet Assigned
Filing Date	Herewith
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**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Charge Any Additional Fee Required<br>Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Applicant claims small entity status.<br>See 37 CFR 1.27                                       |

## **FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

## **Large Entity Small Entity**

**Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description**

**Code (\$)**

101 740 201 370 Utility filing fee

106 330 206 165 Design filing fee

107 510 207 255 Plant filing fee

108 70 208 370 Reissue filing fee

**SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)** 740

## **2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee from below</b>	<b>Fee Paid</b>
Total Claims	10 - 20 ** = 0	X	= 0
Independent Claims	1 - 3 ** = 0	X	= 0
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<b>Large Entity Fee Code</b>	<b>Small Entity Fee Code (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Description</b>
103	18	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**SUBTOTAL (2)** (\$)**0**

*\*\*or number previously paid, if greater: For Reissues, see above*

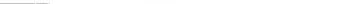
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Large Entity		Small Entity			
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)<sup>0</sup>

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